Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 28 Sep 2023 until 23:59 on Friday 29 Sep 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 28 Sep 2023 at 03:59

Confidence: High confidence for some fine weather initially before rain later Thursday. Low confidence in exact timing and distribution of rain.

Headline for Thursday 28 Sep 2023: Variable cloud with bright intervals. Rain arriving later.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 28 Sep 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Low Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	<05%	30%	60%	50%

Forecast for Thursday 28 Sep 2023

Weather: Mostly dry to start with clear intervals developing. Variable cloud by day making sunshine hazier at times, but some brighter spells are possible. Low chance of an isolated shower around midday. Cloud lowering during the afternoon with outbreaks of rain arriving. More persistent rain, heavy at times, into the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 90% dropping to 30% by the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud mostly above summits though the morning, perhaps just patches on the highest routes. More widespread low cloud by the evening with bases down to around 400m. Generally good visibility until later rain arrives.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	20/26 SW	20/24 SW	21/28 S	21/28 S	19/26 S	19/25 S	12/16 W
300	11/24 SW	10/20 SW	12/23 SW	9/20 S	10/22 S	8/17 S	5/13 SW
Valley	10/25 SW	9/20 SW	11/23 SW	7/19 S	7/19 S	5/15 S	6/13 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/6	10/7	11/8	11/8	11/7	12/9	12/10
300	12/10	13/11	14/12	14/12	13/11	13/12	13/12
Valley	12/11	14/13	15/13	14/13	13/12	14/14	13/13
Freezing Level*	1700m	1800m	1800m	2100m	3300m	3100m	3100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Winds easing by day but still remaining blustery.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Thu 28 Sep 2023	6.4mm	7mm	7.4mm

Forecast for Friday 29 Sep 2023

Weather: Rain continuing to begin but turning patchier and lighter through the early hours before eventually easing by dawn. A largely dry day follows with plenty of sunny spells; perhaps an isolated shower. Remaining fine into the evening with clear periods.

Maximum wind: 25 mph westerly winds initially, easing to 10 mph by the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 60% to begin, rising to 90% from mid-morning onwards.

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud down to 400m during the early hours, mostly lifting as rain clears but some patches lingering on western upslopes until mid-morning. Cloud remaining above the summits for the rest of the day. Poor visibility in early rain but improving to very good for the rest of the day.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 Celsius, rising to plus 17 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 7 Celsius, rising to Plus 10 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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